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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [0021] with the following replacement paragraph:

[0021] Further, the illuminating and irradiating unit can have a monitoring unit [[12]] for monitoring the radiation dose, for recording the irradiation pattern, and for registering the irradiated positions. The monitoring unit [[12]] preferably has one or more interfaces 10 for transferring data. A computer 12 which can be integrated, for example, in the base 11 of the slit lamp can be used as both a monitoring unit and a control unit.

No new matter was added by the above amendment